While the global economy grew by 2.5%, Travel & Tourism grew significantly more at 3.5%.

1 in 4 net new jobs were created by Travel & Tourism over the last five years.

Global GDP impact by sector (2018 data). Share of total economy GDP:

- Mining
- Automotive
- Agriculture
- Travel & Tourism
- Retail
- Financial Services

0% 5% 10% 15%

PUERTO RICO 2019 KEY DATA

**CONTRIBUTION OF TRAVEL & TOURISM TO GDP**

4.2% of total economy

Total T&T GDP = USD4,617.7MN

+10.1%

2019 Travel & Tourism GDP growth vs +2.3% real economy GDP growth

**CONTRIBUTION OF TRAVEL & TOURISM TO EMPLOYMENT**

100.7 jobs (000’s)

(10.4% of total employment)

**INTERNATIONAL VISITOR IMPACT**

USD3,821.5MN in visitor spend (4.7% of total exports)

OUTBOUND DEPARTURES

1. DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
2. US VIRGIN ISLANDS
3. MEXICO
4. COLOMBIA
5. PANAMA
REST OF WORLD

Note: Data are average shares over the 2016-2018 period.
Source: Oxford Economics, national sources and UNWTO

SECTOR CHARACTERISTICS (2019)

- LEISURE SPENDING 89%
- BUSINESS SPENDING 11%
- DOMESTIC SPENDING 31%
- INTERNATIONAL SPENDING 69%

1 All values are in constant 2019 prices & exchange rates
As reported in March 2020